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| For: | <i>Method and Apparatus for Body Fluid Sampling and Analyte Sensing</i> | | |

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

This is in response to the office action mailed 06/16/2009. Please consider the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Claims listing begins on page 3.

Remarks/Conclusion begins on page 6.